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48 pairs of Genuine Kangaroo, square toes only, welts, worth $4.00, our price	2 49
Men's Fine Winter Tans, heavy soles, bulldog toes, worth $4.50, our price	2 99
300 pairs of Fine Dongola Kid Shoes, button or lace, worth $2.00, for	99
160 pairs of shoes for old ladies, in lace only, worth $1.50, for	89
P. Sullivan's Custom Welt, worth $4.00, our price	2 49
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Ladies' House Shoes, worth $1.50 or more, our price	99
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LAMENESS OF LAW

Difficulty of Executing Sentence After Conviction.

JUSTICE SEEMS TO BE SHACKLED.

It Would Appear That Laws Are Made to Protect Criminals Instead of Being a Safeguard to the Public Against the Vicious—Status of the Durrant Case Up to Date.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—In view of the fact that the supreme court which is now in session at Sacramento will adjourn on Tuesday next until the second Monday in January it is not considered probable that W. H. T. Durrant, the condemned murderer of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams, will expiate the crime for which he was sentenced to be hanged in December, 1895, during the current year.

In the ordinary course of events the matter can not come up for hearing upon the points involved in the order granting the certificate of probable cause, to which Durrant owes the second lease of life, until the middle of January.

After the case has been decided another 30 days at least must intervene before the remittur from the supreme court can reach the trial court and the condemned man be resentenced for the second time.

This course would not allow the execution to take place before the latter part of February or the beginning of March next.

It is possible that the attorney general may apply to the supreme court to advance the case, but this action is unlikely.

Meantime Durrant has been removed from the condemned cell and returned to his old cell, No. 21, in murderers' row at San Quentin.

WITH RED LANTERNS

Robbers Bring an Express Train to a Halt.

Kansas City, Nov. 13.—The St. Louis limited night express on the Pacific railway, which left Kansas City at 10:40 p. m., was held up three miles east of Independence, Mo., by five masked men, who flagged the train with red lanterns.

It is reported that the robbers secured nothing. The train proceeded on its way. The scene of the holdup is within a mile of the famous Blue Cut, in which so many robberies on the Chicago and Alton road have occurred.

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THE STATE WINS.

Indiana May Add a Large Sum to Her School Fund.

Indianapolis, Nov. 13.—The superior court gave a decision in the case of the state against the Vandalia, Terre Haute and Indianapolis Railroad company, which was the second victory of the state in the progress of its suit to recover $2,000,000 alleged to be due to the school fund on an old charter.

The decision holds that a former suit by the state is no bar to the present action. In a previous decision in this suit by the superior court, in June last, a demurrer to the state's complaint was overruled and the company was ruled to answer.

To the answer of the company the state made reply, and the decision now is in favor of the state's reply in overruling the demurrer of the company.

Convention Adjourned.

Baltimore, Nov. 13. — The United Daughters of the Confederacy ended their fourth annual convention after electing the following officers: Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie of Dallas, Tex., president; Mrs. John P. Hickman of Nashville, Tenn., recording secretary; Mrs. Annie W. Duncan of Vicksburg, Miss., corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. Jefferson Thomas of Atlanta, treasurer. The convention adjourned to meet next year in Hot Springs, Ark.

Suicided In New York.

New York, Nov. 13.—John C. Bullitt, Jr., of Bigstone Gap, Wise county, Va., was found dead in a room at the Central Railroad hotel, which he engaged on the previous night, having registered as from Duluth, Minn. The man had apparently committed suicide, as bottles containing hydrochloric acid, cyanide of potassium and nitric acid were found on a table near the bed upon which the corpse lay.

Caused Some Surprise.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—Bishop C. C. McCabe caused considerable surprise among the members of the general missionary committee of the Methodist church when he announced that he had established an Alaskan mission. He said he had borrowed $400 and sent a missionary into Alaska, and that the latter was now ministering to the spiritual wants of the gold diggers.

Lodge of Elks Suspended.

Harrisburg, Nov. 13.—Grand Exalted Ruler Meade D. Detwiler supended the Marion (Ind.) lodge of Elks and forwarded the papers to District Deputy Armstrong of that state, authorizing him to secure the charter, paraphernalia and lodge effects. This action was due to the alleged violation of the laws of the order in the method of initiation of Robert Fitzsimmons.

The Times leads 'em all.

A TEXAS P. M.

Will Get to Hold His Job Because He Is Father of Quadruplets.

English Writers Say the English Nation Is Lagging in the March of Progress.

Double Umpire System Adopted by the National League—Ex-President Cleveland Makes No Retraction—Insurgents in Cuba Wreck a Train—General Telegraphic.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—Postmaster E. T. Page, of Redwater, Texas, is to be retained at his office because he is the father of quadruplets and of two pairs of twins. He was appointed eleven years ago and was about to be superseded during Gen. Clarkson's term as assistant postmaster general. It was then he pleaded the facts above stated and he was retained. He now reiterates the plea, accompaning it with photographs of three living members of quadruplet birth and of twins. It has been decided to continue him in office.

JUST FINDING OUT.

Some of Those English Are Waking Up to a Realization That the United States Leads the World.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

London, Nov. 13.—The Daily Mail has been publishing a series of articles, entitled, "Marching Backwards," in which the writer shows that Great Britain is falling behind in the great industrial race and that the United States, France and Germany can show increased exports to the amount of twenty-five million pounds from 1888 to 1895, while in the same time Great Britain's exports decreased nine million pounds. The Mail says the causes are want of business instinct and want of genuine patriotism.

STICKS TO IT.

Ex-President Cleveland Says He Has Not Changed His Opinion in Regard to Princton Inn Matters.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—The Times-Herald prints a letter from Grover Cleveland, saying that the action of the Presbytery in the case of Dr. Shields, in no wise changes his opinion of the Princeton Inn matter. He declares he signed the petition for the license and would do it again under the same circumtances, believing that he committed no wrong.

DOUBLE UMPIRE SYSTEM

Adopted by National League Base Ball—Rules Governing Players' Conduct.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—The National Base Ball league adopted the donble umpire system today, also a resolution by Brush, of Cincinnati, providing any player found guilty after full hearing of using foul or indecent language on the field shall be expelled from the game and will not be eligible to reinstatement.

They Are There.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chattanooga, Nov. 13.—Gov. Hastings and staff, of Pennslyavnia, and Comamnder-in-Chief J. S. B. Gobin, of the G. A. R., and staff arrived to take part in the dedication of Pennsylvania's monuments in Chattanooga, at Chickamauga Military park on next Monday.

Insurgents Derail Train.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Havana, Nov. 13.—Insurgents have derailed a train with dynamite between Nuevitas and the city of Porto Principe. No details received.

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

The most contemptible trick, if not the most dishonorable, resorted to by the Republican central committee to elect McCormick was the circulation of the report that Connolley is a Catholic. This fact, if true, should detract nothing from a man's fitness to hold an office in a free country, but the intention of Chan Moulton and his understrappers was to take advantage of whatever prejudice may exist in the country against Catholics. Mr. Moulton knew he was industriously circulating an absolute falsehood. That "moral and religious" sheet—"the Blade"—knew of the falsehood being circulated, yet it hastens to claim all virtue for not attacking Mr. Connolley. This hypocrite aids and abets an attack the most reprehensible, because it not only appeals to religious prejudice to accomplish its dirty work, but at the same time, covertly attacks the Catholic church. The Catholics in this city will spurn such contemptible tricks and loathe the scoundrels who drag their religion into the mire of politics. Mr. Connolley has always been liberal in all his business and political associations. His associations with Catholic citizens has always been pleasant, yet his father was a Presbyterian and his mother an Episcopalian. He is now a member of the church of his mother. Chan Moulton, when called to account for his personal and willful misrepresentations, said, "Connolley employs Catholics." Does Mr. Moulton and the gang intend to boycott the Catholic citizens of our city. If such is the case, the time has come to retire such fanatics from even a semblance of power. Such men are traitors to the best interests of a free country.

AN ABSOLUTE LIE

Was the Account in the Tribune of an Alleged Row in a Down Town Office.

The Tribune this morning has a sensational account of an alleged fight between the editor of the Times and a fellow said to be Louis Cook, a carpenter. The trouble is said to have occurred in the office of Cuppett & Webb. The Tribune article is a tissue of lies from beginning to end. The truth of the whole matter is that the editor of the Times was in Cuppett & Webb's office placing an order, when some fellow who was loafing there interjected himself in the conversation and was told to mind his own business. That was the extent of the "fight." The conversation was what any business man is liable to have with a meddling fool.

Mr. Webb, of Cuppett & Webb, called at the Times office today to express his indignation at the Tribune article, which he characterized as "a big lie from beginning to end." Mr. Webb is authority for the statement that no such encounter occurred. He says that "Mooge" Henderson, alias Anderson, telephoned the story to the Tribune as a joke. The fellow Henderson is a dirty, low-lived heeler, who hangs about the court house and makes a "living" by doing "dirty work."

The Rise of Pitcher Piatt.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 11.—Wiley Piatt, the base ball pitcher, drafted by the Philadelphia National league club, from the Dayton team of the Interstate league, offered to join Marcus' "Killers" here last summer for $25 per month. He was turned down even at that low rate by the millionaire, who wanted only "first-class talent." Piatt is a very young man, and previous to last season was a farm hand. It is reported that he has developed into a wonder.—Pittsburg Post.

Bishop Vincent Coming.

Bishop Vincent, having been obliged to cancel his late visit to Christ church, has sent word that he will officiate on Tuesday evening, Nov. 16, at 7 o'clock. Early notice is given so that those interested in hearing him may not make other engagements. 13-4

Rewards for Halbert's Arrest.

Two rewards have been offered for the arrest of Halbert, the Vanceburg vitriol thrower—one by the Lewis county officials of $250 and $300 by the state. No trace of the suspected murderer has been discovered.

J. B. Gilson, at 82 West Third street, will sell at reduced prices for a few days the "Imperial" guitars, the best on the market, for from $5.00 and upward. We have other makes in stock. 13-3t

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Within the next few days there will be some splendid attractions at the Grand opera house. "Faust will be here Tuesday night; "O'Hooligan's Wedding" Wednesday night; "Willie" Collier in "The Man from Mexico" Saturday night, Nov. 20; The Kismet Opera company Monday night, Nov. 22d; "The Prodigal Father" Nov. 24th; "McNully's Visit" Nov. 25th and Mahara's minstrels, a superb organization, Nov. 26th. They are all attractions above the ordinary.

The fun provoking farce comedy, "O'Hooligan's Wedding," was presented at the National theater last evening, and scored an unqualified success. The play abounds in charming musical gems and any number of comedy situations, which caused ripples of merriment to flow from the well pleased audience. George West, the German comique, is ridiculously funny. Willis Love, as O'Hooliagn, held his own and kept the audience in a continual roar of laughter. Miss Gussie Larson, a talented artist, is also among the members of the company; also Lou Diamond, comedian. The comedy Trio, Miss LeRoy, Miss Archie and others, all farce comedy favorites.—Philadelphia Times, Feb. 17th.

"O'Hooligan's Wedding," of which the above testimonial speaks, will be prepesented at the opera house next Wednesday evening.

Every critic in New York endorses Willie Collier as one of the quaintest and best comedians on the stage.

The flattering reports that have preceded the Morrison company in representation of Goethe's beautiful "Faust" causes a feeling of interest to the lovers of good acting. The indifference of the average theater-goer to the better class of plays, has been brought about by the cupidity of some traveling managers, who, in their frantic efforts to acquire a fortune rapidly, have overlooked the intelligence of the public. They seem to think that it was only necessary to advertise the name of a successful play and their fortunes were made. Such a thing as competency and integrity never entered their calculation, but it did with the public, who quickly became disgusted and felt that if they were compelled to see such wretched twaddle that farce comedy and light opera would suit them on that basis. The management of Morrison's "Faust" company are keen, shrewd business men, and after realizing the cause of the public's apathy, have remedied it by selecting a company of artists, whose efforts have made them individually famous. The result has been a financial success and the hearty indorsement of the public. The splendid company and play, with its beautiful scenery, electrical and calcium effects, will be seen here on next Tuesday evening at the Grand opera house.

Did Not Make Money.

The kindergarten did not realize anything out of the benefit game yesterday. There were less than a hundred persons present and as it took that number to pay expenses nothing was realized. Not much of an effort was made to sell tickets before the game.

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The Cruel Knife!

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Doctors are human, and of course are liable to make mistakes, but their mistakes are too fatal to be indulged in promiscuously, and as so many lives are sacrificed in this manner, it is but natural for the public to believe that half the operations are unnecessary, besides being a fearful risk to human life, even if successful.

It is a positive fact, however, that all operations are not necessary, and that a majority of them are absolutely undertaken without the slightest chance of success. The doctors have never been able to cure a blood disease, and a surgical operation is their only method of treating deep-seated cases, such as cancer and scrofulous affections. Aside from the great danger, an operation never did and never will cure cancer, as the disease never fails to return. Cancer is in the blood, and common sense teaches anyone that no disease can be cut from the blood.

Here is a case where the pain inflicted on a six-year-old boy was especially cruel, and after undergoing the tortures produced by the surgeon's knife he rapidly grew worse. Mr. J. N. Murdoch, the father of the boy, residing at 279 Snodgrass street, Dallas, Texas, writes:

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Was the Game at Athletic Park Yesterday.

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The game of football yesterday at Athletic park was devoid of scrapping and was as clean a game as ever played in Portsmouth. There was kicking at no time during the game.

The day was fitted for football, the air being cool and biting. It was a game of fumbles. For a time in the first half the ball changed hands at every down on a fumble.

Portsmouth's center was very weak and was in almost every case the cause of these fumbles. The opposing center pushed him back onto the quarter back with impunity, not giving the quarter a chance to pass the ball.

Had it not been for the playing of the three fellows from the big team and Ridenour, and Thornton the Tigers would not have been in the game at all. These five players did all the bucking and running, and it was through their pluckiness and not the interference accorded them that they made good gains. Howard Newman especially played a plucky and aggressive game.

Captain Ridenour, of the Tigers, won the toss and chose to defend the wast goal. Ogden kicked the pig-skin to the Tigers, twenty-five yard line and C. Drown failed to gain with it. By repeated gains by Thornton, H. Newman and Kinney, the ball was brought to Ashland's fifteen yard line. Then the fumbling began, and for eight downs there was a fumble, each time the ball going to the opposite team. This left Ashland with the ball, Kinney, in an effort to jump the line, started to jump too soon, and the Ashlands were given five yards for off-side play. A fumble then gave Portsmouth the ball. Portsmouth gained ten yards on a fumble by Thornton, which Kinney fell on. Then Kinney, by two hard left tackle bucks, scored the first touchdown in twelve minutes. Kinney dropped the ball to the ground before Thornton could kick goal, and the score was: Tigers, 4; Ashland, 0.

With thirteen minutes to play, Ogden kicked the ball to the Tigers, fifteen yard line. "Russ" Newman caught it and advanced it ten yards. By small gains the ball was advanced to Ashland's thirty-six yard lide and time was called for the first half. Score: Ashland, 0; Portsmouth, 4.

The second half was well played and each side earned what it made.

Thornton kicked off and the Tigers were on the ball because of Ashland's fumble of the kick. By quick playing another touchdown was scored by the splendid work of Newman, Ridenour and Thornton. Thornton failed to kick goal. Score: Ashland, 0; Tigers, 8. Thornton caught the kick-off and advanced it 15 yards. After a few good gains by Newman, Kinney and Ridenour, Ashland secured the ball on downs, and sent the ball flying for Portsmouth's goal. Some excellent gains were made by Tracy for the Ash ands, and Ogden went over the line for their only touchdown as time was called for the last half. Ogden failed to kick goal. Score: Ashland, 4; Tigers, 8.

The best runs of the game were made by Howard Newman, who made two twenty yard gains. The best bucks were made by Kinney and Ridenour who both made several fifteen yard gains. The following is the line-up of the teams:

TIGERS (8)		ASHLAND (4)
Stone	Center	Blankenship
F. Drawn	R. G.	Kulcher
Kinney	R. T.	Strode
Whitman	R. E.	Kobs
Kricker	L. G.	Kuntz
Buerling	L. T.	Rice
R Newman	L E.	Johnson
Thornton	R. H.	Tracy
H. Newman	L. H.	Shump
C. Drawn	Quarter	Newman
Ridenour	Full	Ogden

DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED.

Music, Games, and Other Youthful Pleasures That Make the Heart Glad Was the Order of the Evening.

Misses Ada and Luda Morris charmingly entertained a number of their young friends last night at their pleasant home on Findlay street. There were eight or ten couple and the evening was spent with vocal and instrumental music, games and other diversions, and altogether it was a most enjoyable affair. Oysters, with all the etc., were served, and the the wee sma' hours of the night were close at hand when the happy guests departed with many pleasant memories of the enjoyable evening.

Let your poor, tired wife, who has toiled all week over the cook stove, have a rest tomorrow and take her to Walker's restaurant, No. 35 Gallia street, and treat her to one of his celebrated Sunday dinners.

December 1st 1897.

Under the head of "Guess and get it," it was announced last night that the beautiful Peninsular Planished steel range at F. A. Glockner's, on Gallia street would be given away "November 1st." It should have read December 1st. Keep this fact in mind and remember also, that with every purchase at Mr. Glockner's store, you get a guess at the number of nails in a glass jar. The one guessing the number or coming nearest to it, will get the range. You may win this elegant and useful prize with a single purchase.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

All Saints Episcopal Church.

Court and Fourth streets, the Rev. J. D. Herron, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Subject, "Love and Hate." Evensong at 7. Subject, "The Shut Door." Free pews for visitors.

United Brethren.

Corner Seventh and Gay streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m., standard time. Morning services at 10:30; evening services at 6:30. Morning subject, "The Power of Kindness." Evening subject, "Putting Religion Into Our Daily Tasks." All are invited. J. E. Comer pastor.

First Presbyterian.

Southwest corner of Court and Third streets, Rev. David S. Tappan, D. D., pastor; Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; church services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. In the pastor's absence Rev. Mr. McWilliams, of Eckmansville, O., will preach at both services. All are cordially invited to attend.

Second Presbyterian.

Corner Eighth and North Waller streets, Rev. S. B. Alderson, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m., standard time. Morning subject, "The Riches of Christ Transferred to Men." Evening subject, "Christian at Vanity Fair," being a lecture in the Pilgrim's Progress series. Sunday school, 8:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.

German Presbyterian.

Corner Seventh and Chillicothe streets, J. A. Toensmeier, pastor. Sunday school at 8:30 a. m., Mr. Adam Young, superintendent. Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m; Senior Endeavor at 6 p. m.; German serivce at 10 a. m.; English service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Christian.

Corner Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting a 6 p. m.; regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; morning subject, "Bought With a Price." Evening subject, "Crossing the Red Sea." All are most cordially invited to attend these services.

Sixth Street M. E.

Services tomorrow (Sunday) as follows: Sunday school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30; Junior League at 2; Epworth League at 6 people's service at 7. The Rev. Thomas S. Robjent will preach both morning and evening, his subjects being: Morning, "The Rainbow Over God's Acre, or The Harvest Fields of Life." Evening, "Men Who Move the World, or How to Become Influential," a sermon to old and young. A hearty welcome to all.

Bigelow M. E.

Corner Washington and Fifth streets, M. W. Acton, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m. Topic, "Sacrificed Bodies a Reasonable Service; class meeting at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6 p. m.; preaching at 7 p. m. Topic, "Why Does the Bible Oppose Our Being Conformed to This World?" A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us.

German M. E. Church.

Corner Washington and Fourth streets, C. B. Koch, pastor; F. L. Marting, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school at 8:30 a. m.; preaching at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Service every evening during the week, with the exception of Saturday evening.

First Congregational Church.

Findlay street, between Ninth and Tenth, W. H. Baker, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Christian Endeavor society at 6 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; preaching services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. The morning sermon will be on, "The Fifth Commandment." The subject of the evening sermon will be, "Sifting and Success." A cordial invitation to these services is extended to all.

First Baptist.

Fourth street, near Court. Preaching tomorrow at the usual hours—10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m., by the new pastor, Rev. J. B. Tuttle. The Sunday school will observe "Bible Day" in place of the regular school services, for which a very interesting program has been arranged at the usual hour, 9 a. m. Regular B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6 p. m. Choir meeting this evening at 8 o'clock.

Findlay Street M. E.

The third quarterly conference will be held at Findlay Street M. E. church Nov. 13th, 1897, at 7:30 p. m., Rev. J. H. Jackson, presiding. On Sunday, Nov. 14th, 1897, at 9 o'clock, Sunday school; 11 a. m., preaching; at 3, preaching, also at 7:30 p. m, at which time Rev. Jackson will preach as none like him can, on the subject, "Prayer." Geo. F. Carr, pastor.

Ladies' mittens, 10 cents to 50 cents at Flora Dellert's.

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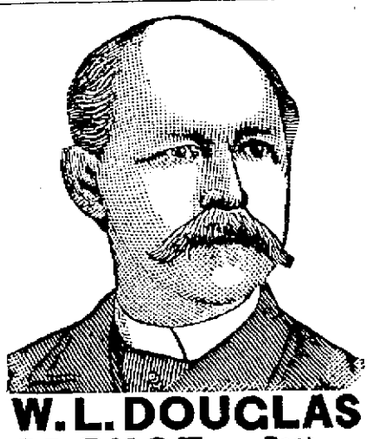

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Interesting Program at the Literary Club Yesterday.

Mrs. Jas. W. Bannon Entertains Charmingly at Her Handsome Residence—Gay Party at the Elk Card Rooms—Dance to Be Given Soon—Other Social Events.

Along the line of "Genera Discussion," or "Conversation"—an art in which they have ever been striving to improve—the Woman's Literary club of this city, is now fast making rapid strides. This was evidenced at the meeting two weeks ago and again at yesterday's meeting, conversation being largely indulged in and a particularly interesting feature on both occasions. Again yesterday were the papers upon live topics—topics that bring out interesting and animated discussion. Many of the ladies were heard from yesterday in the "general discussion" after the program, and in this way a large number and great variety of valuable suggestions were exchanged. It is hoped that many of these important hints will take effect, will prompt efforts that may bring forth results and not end merely in "talk."

Club members were urged "to visit our schools prior to this meeting, not as hostile critics, but as learners, notice all that is good, and report to the club, knowledge gained by careful and sympathetic observation," and many members had responded to this request. Their reports were valuable and showed that these visits had inspired in them a renewed interest in the "public school."

"Our Public Schools" was the subject of the afternoon's work, the program being in charge of Mrs. Draper, of the executive committee. Contrary to the usual custom, the report of the criticism committee was presented before the program, immediately after the roll-call and reading of minutes. Miss Cotton presented this report, a brief but helpful one. The two papers read were excellent, not only in the matter used but also in style of composition. Many interesting and important facts and ideas were clearly and concisely stated. The subjects and writers were as follows:

"The Function of Public Education"—Mrs. Cotton.

"Hygienic Conditions in Our Public Schools"—Miss Anna Purdum.

A third subject, "The Schools a Moral Factor in Our Nations," had been assigned to Mrs. S. O. Titus, but owing to her absence from the city, this paper was omitted. In its stead, however, an interesting letter from Mrs. Titus was read by Miss Newman. A portion of this letter is printed below. It will be seen that it contains some valuable points concerning the public school system of Concord, New Hampshire, where Mrs. Titus is now visiting.

West Concord, N. H., Nov. 4, 1897.

Dear Members of the Woman's Literary Club, of Porsmouth, Ohio:

Since I cannot stand before you and look into your face on November twelfth and answer to my name on the program as I would gladly do, I have gathered a few items which may interest you from the school of the "old Granite state," where my own happy school days were passed.

The first grade is the kindergarten, and since a department of this kind has recently been established in Portsmouth it may be refreshing to know that here in Concord this is under supervision of the superintendent and the teachers are paid from the same fund from which the others are paid.

Text books are furnished the students in all grades, each teacher being held responsible for those in her room at the close of the term.

Physical culture and vocal music are taught in all grades; the students are not only taught to sing but to read the notes as well.

In all the grades below the High school a sewing teacher is employed, the girls being taught fine sewing and the boys are taught to make buttonholes and sew on buttons.

Drawing is taught in all grades, and in the High school a teacher in art and elocution is furnished.

There is in connection with the High school a cooking department, where classes are taught for two hours each week, when each pupil has the opportunity to practice many kinds of cooking.

The boys of the High school have military drill and wear the cadet uniforms. They also have a lyceum and there discuss the topics of the times and other questions. They are here fitted for Dartmouth college.

There is also a training school in connection with the public schools of the city, and no new teacher is employed who has not spent at least a year there.

Of course in many respects the schools here are similar to those of our city. I have only alluded to some points in which they differ.

A pleasant surprise followed the half hour of discussion. Upon invitation of Mrs. Draper, Miss Maud Moore, one of our most popular public school teachers, had kindly consented to assist in the program. She appeared promptly at the appointed hour, follwed by twenty of her bright little pupils, boys and girls, ranging in age from six to twelve years. Miss Moore is in charge of the ungraded school, one of the most difficult schools to teach in the city. The marching of these twenty children and their singing of three pretty songs plainly showed the excellent and painstaking training they had received. Miss Moore presided at the organ. After the pupils' exercises she was requested to speak of her school work. She responded briefly in a bright and interesting manner. This feature was an appropriate and pleasing innovation and the club showed their appreciation by extending to Miss Moore a rising vote of thanks.

A short business session was held. The hour for the next club meeting, by a vote taken yesterday, was changed from 2 to 2:30. It is an extra meeting appointed for Thursday, Nov. 18th—"An afternoon at the Home of the President," when the "Facts and Fancies Gathered at the State Convention of Clubs at Piqua by Our Delegates" (Mrs. Draper and Mrs. Lorin Hall) will be presented. Members are requested to express to any member of the executive board, not later than Tuesday next, their intention of attending this special meeting.

ELK CARD PARTY.

The card party given at the Elk rooms yesterday evening was one of the most enjoyable of the many social events given under the auspices of that society. There were about twenty-five tables and the evening passed rapidly at progressive euchre. When the last game was played it was found that Mrs. E. L. Gates and Mrs. A. L. Sanford tied for the ladies' prize and E. L. Gates and Wm. Altsman tied for the gentlemen's prize. They played off and Mrs. Sanford and Mr. Gates won the prizes. The former received a handsome dish and the latter an umbrella. After the prizes had been awarded the guests were served to an elegant lunch. The affair was in charge of George B. Anderson, Eugene Anderson and G. E. Gibbs and their ladies, and they are to be congratulated on the success of the affair.

MRS. BANNON ENTERTAINS.

One of the most delightful social events of the season was the card party given yesterday afternoon at the handsome residence of Mrs. Jas. W. Bannon, Mrs. Bannon being the hostess. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers and plants and presented an attractive appearance. There were about sixty-five guests present, sixty of them being at the card tables. Four-hand euchre was the game. The prizes were won by Mrs. Albert Padan, first prize, a pretty Portsmouth souvenir spoon; Mrs. Frank Kendall, second prize, a bon-bon spoon, while Miss Eliza Smith carried off booby honors, a darning egg with silver handle. After the prizes had been awarded an elegant supper was served.

COMING ELK DANCE.

The Elks are arranging to give a dance and card party on Thanksgiving eve.

A WHIST PARTY.

Dr. and Mrs. Lorin Hall will entertain a few friends at whist this evening.

ONE-THIRD

Of the Working Force of the N. & W. Shops Reduced.

The Machine Department Abolished and Will Be Transferred to Kenova.

The Order Issued Yesterday and the Engine Repair Work Will Hereafter Be Done in Kenova—About Fifty Or Sixty Men Thrown Out of a Job Here, But They Will Be Taken Care of at Kenova Shops.

At last the expected has happened and the N. & W. officials have issued an order transferring a part of the work of the Scioto Valley division from the shops in this city to the Kenova shops.

The order was received yesterday, when General Foreman Cullinan was instructed to come to Roanoke and to close the shops for a couple of days to readjust the business. By the "readjustment" practically all of the engine repair department is transferred to Kenova. A new round house has recently been built at Kenova and the capacity of the shops increased largely. The engine repairers, machinists, helpers, blacksmiths and boiler makers at the shops in this city who will be thrown out of employment number between forty-five and sixty in all. They will be laid off at once. Ten or twelve of them, including Frank Atkins, foreman in this department, will be given work at Kenova at once, if they desire to work in that city. As fast as the Kenova shops are reorganized and work comes in, the other men will be given places. Eventually all of them will secure positions at Kenova, if they wish to work there.

This change which practically abolishes the machine department at the N. & W. shops, leaves only the car repairers and general workmen here. The shops have been employing 150 men, and hereafter will only employ from ninety to one hundred, the force being cut one-third. Mr. Cullinan said that he did not think any further reduction would be made in the shops here. Kenova is the end of the division and all engines change there, and it was the proper place to do all repair work. Portsmouth's location was against continuing work here.

The shop's force here has been gradually reduced for two years and the force cut from 270 men in October, 1895, to 100 in November, 1897. First one department and then another has been taken away, until now there are but few left. The next move will no doubt be to abolish the shops here altogether.

Walker will serve one of his celebrated Sunday dinners tomorrow at his restaurant, No. 35 Gallia street.

No Quorum.

There was no meeting of the school board last night. Only four members were present. There was no business of any importance to come up.

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Sixth	5 00	Fourteenth	5 00
Seventh	5 00	Fifteenth	5 00
Eighth	5 00		

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PERSONAL.

F. V. Shy, a merchant of Shyville, Pike county, was in the city today.

Frank Cranston, a prominent Wheelersburg business man, was in the city today.

Geo. Meyers, who has been working in the car shops at Springfield, O., has returned to Portsmouth.

Mr. G. Rosenbaum, the Chillicothe street merchant is in Cincinnati this week attending to business.

Mrs A. T. Davenport left today for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Boynton, of Powellsville.

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This was true the first of last week. When least expected it came. Good copious rains moistened the parched earth. It was needed. One necessity brings another. Rains bring lower temperature, and such climatic changes necessitate a different weight of clothing.

We are prepared for the cold weather. We have a nice stock of Clothing, Overcoats and Underwear. The prices are in keeping with the times—close. You need have no fear of coming in with a fat or slim pocket book, because it will not be depleted much by your purchases of us, as we sell extremely low.

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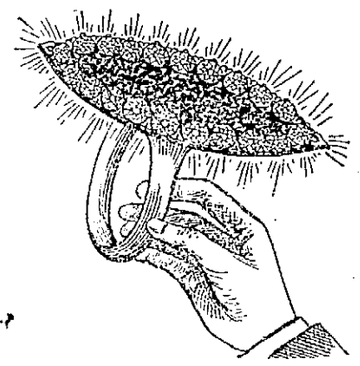

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A SNAG

Sent the Steamer Sherley to the Bottom Last Night.

The Accident Occurred at Walker's Landing About Six Miles Below the City, at Half-Past Eleven—Boat Now Lying in Eight Foot of Water With Eighteen Inches on Her Lower Deck—Freight Damaged.

The White Collar line steamer Sherley, Capt. Kirker in command, sunk last night at half past eleven o'clock, at Walker's landing, about six miles below this city. She is now lying in mid-river in about eight feet of water, there being about eighteen inches on her deck.

The Sherley was on her up trip from Cincinnati to Pomeroy. She was heavily loaded with freight but had only one passenger on board. She passed Quincy all right about nine o'clock. About 11:30, near Walker's Landing, she struck a big snag and a hole about twelve or fifteen feet long was ripped in her hull. The water rushed in, and in less than five minutes water was running over the doomed steamer's decks. She settled gracefully, and is lying straight in about eight feet of water. If the boat had sunk a few hundred feet further up or down the river she would have gone down in deep water.

There was great excitement on the Sherley when she sunk, but things quieted down when it was seen there was no danger. Aside from the damage to the boat, the greatest damage is to the freight, of which there was a big load. Among other things, there were about 1,500 bushels of wheat on board and this is under water, as is much other freight.

The owners of the steamer in Cincinnati were telegraphed, and the Courier with a wreck crew, divers, etc., were sent up this afternoon. The Courier will take all the freight of the Sherley and the divers will try to get the boat in shape to raise her and take her to Cincinnati for repairs.

It is said that the Sherley was out of the channel slightly when she struck the snag.

A HUMAN MONSTROCITY

Was Morgan Who Murdered Mrs. Green and the Post Children.

Mr. J. G. Childs, of 1520 Findlay street, received a letter yesterday from his mother, Mrs. H. F. Chase, at Chase Postoffice, West Virginia, telling the horrible particulars of the murder at, or near, Ripley last week. The Times made mention of it at the time, but as the facts were not stated they may prove of interest to many here who know Mrs. Chase and the Posts. That part of the letter referring to the murder reads as follows:

"It was a man by the name of John Morgan who did the deed. They partly raised him, but a couple of years ago he married and went to himself. He lived a short distance from Mrs. Green. Her first husband was named Post and her second husband was Green, who died a couple of years ago. The villain in human form went to Mrs. Green's house and stayed all night. They are early risers and got up to get breakfast before daylight. He went out to the hog pen with Jimmy to feed the hogs. The poor boy had his tin bucket of corn to put in the pen and Morgan slipped up behind him with a mattock and sunk it in his skull and then took a rock and beat his head into a jelly. He then went to the house and Mrs. Green asked him where Jimmy was. He said he went down into the field. He then went into the kitchen where Alice and Tillie were getting breakfast. He picked the hatchet out of the wood box and struck Alice in the head two blows and then Tillie a blow, and by this time poor Mrs. Green ran into the bed room and locked the door. He went to the door and chopped it down and killed her with the hatchet. Tillie ran down through the corn field to John Chaney's, the fiend after her in the dark. She screamed and Mr. Chaney's boy heard her and answerd her. That scared Morgan away. When she got to Mr. Chaney's she was a sight to behold, all covered with blood. They put her to bed and roused the neighbors. They all got their Winchesters and took after him. It looked like war. They got him and he has had his trial and will be hung in the court house square on the 16th of December. We went to the funeral. It was the most awful sight I ever beheld. There were from three to five thousand people there. They had the three caskets in the yard by the porch so people could view their poor mutilated bodies. They were in very high standing in the community."

Roger Bros.' genuine silver-plated knives, forks, spoons, etc. Lowest prices and best assortment in the city, at J. C. Hibbs & Co.'s.

May Go to Hear Bourke Cochran.

Frank B. Finney has written Bourke Cochran, of New York, relative to his delivering one of his famous lectures in this city sometime this winter. It would certainly be a big treat.

If you can be suited at all, Lehman Bros. can suit you in shoes.

Remember the place to get oysters served in any style is at Walker's, 35 Gallia street.

Another lot of choice Tam O'Shanters, just received at Lehman's. They go for 25 cents.

Ladies' fleece-lined wrappers, regular price $1.25, now selling for 90 cents, at Flora Dellert's.

FRAGMENTS.

Fifteen lodgers were accommodated at the station house last night.

Miss Kate Zottman will sing at Bigelow M. E. church Sunday evening.

Lizzie Weeks was released from the station house today. She will go to Kentucky.

Don't forget the Bigelow lecture course entertainment Monday evening. The bird carnival opening attraction.

Jack Black, residing on West Ninth street, and who has been seriously ill for some time, is again able to be out.

Little Miss Helen Harwood entertained a number of her young friends Friday evening in honor of her fourth birthday anniversary.

The many friends of Mr. Frank Walters will be glad to know that he has a position in the office of Thompson & Kricker, the real estate agents.

THREE SHOTS FIRED

By Officer Williams at Boys Playing Cards at Funk's Gut—Scared Very Badly and Several Were Hurt.

For a long time it has been the custom of East End boys to congregate under the willows in Funk's gut and play cards. They would build great fires and play until midnight, keeping the neighbors awake by their vile language and shrieks.

Last night they were especially noisy and the neighbors made a complaint to Officer Williams. That gentleman strolled around and saw the youngsters playing. He shot into the air to scare them, but they yelled back an oath at him and went on playing. Then he shot twice and the boys saw who it was and skipped. Some got caught on barbed wire fences, others fell into the creek and all got away some way. Jay Osborn, living in the East End, fell into the fence and thence into the creek, scratching himself badly. No arrests.

AN N. & W. EMPLOYE

Marries a Pike County Maiden Today at Noon—Will Take a Trip to Chicago.

Bill Holt, an N. & W. fireman, living in the East End, made a trip to Pike county this morning, where he was married to a beautiful Pike county maiden at noon. He will bring his fair bride to Portsmouth tonight and tomorrow will start on a wedding trip to Chicago and the West. They will reside in Portsmouth on their return. His friends in the East End promise to give him an old-time belling tonight.

Due to Natural Causes.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict in the case of the Rev. Henry J. McPake, the young priest who was found dead on Wednesday morning in an areaway in the rear of St. Paul's academy, that death was due to natural causes.

Concluded Its Labors.

Indianapolis, Nov. 13.—The Presbyterian committee of 15, appointed by the last general assembly to arrange a permanent home mission plan, concluded its labors after doing what it anticipated before it went into the concluding session.

Will Meet In Memphis.

St. Louis, Nov. 13.—Before adjourning the Southern Surgical and Gynecological association installed the officers elected. Memphis was chosen as the place to hold the annual meeting on the second Tuesday of November, 1898.

They Hold Fraudulent Bonds.

Kansas City, Nov. 13.—The fraudulent issue of over $90,000 in Creek Indian warrants has caused much stir in Kansas City banking circles, inasmuch as quite a large proportion of the bogus issue is held here.

IS IT CURABLE?

A Question Often Asked by Those Afflicted With Piles.

Is a strained joint curable? Is local inflammation curable? Of course, if properly treated. So is piles.

People often become afflicted with piles and ask some old "chronic" who has always persisted in the wrong treatment and naturally he discourages them by telling them that their case is hopeless.

They in turn discourage others, and thus a disease that can in every case be cured by careful and skillful handling is allowed to sap the energy of thousands who might free themselves of the trouble in a few days.

Pyramid Pile Cure will cure the most aggravated case of hemorrhoids in an astonishingly short time. It relieves the congested parts, reduces the tumors instantly no matter how large, allays the inflammation and stops the aching or itching at once.

Thousands who had resorted to expensive surgical treatment have been cured by the Pyramid Pile Cure—in a number of instances persons who had spent months in a hospital under a pile specialist.

It is a remedy that none need fear to apply, even in the most aggravated, swollen and inflamed hemorrhoidal tumors.

If you are afflicted with this stubborn disease you can master it and master it quickly.

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Children's Underwear.

Grey ribbed, heavy fleeced cotton, size 16, 5c. All sizes 17 to 34, prices according to size, Pants, Vests and Drawers.

Boys' heavy fleeced, mixed, Jersey ribbed Shirts and Drawers, can't be beat, 25c.

Boys' and Misses' wool fleeced at ridiculously low prices.

Grey mixed ribbed Union Suits for Misses, 23c.

Also all sizes in Boys' and Misses Shirts, Drawers and Pants in half wool and all wool.

Ladies' fleeeced ribbed vests, nothing like it in the city less than 12½c, 10c.

Heavy fleeced, ribbed vests and pants 23c.

Heavy fleeced grey and ecru ribbed vests and pants, sizes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, 25c.

Heavy fleeced grey ribbed, half wool vests and pants, worth 50c for 35c.

Scarlet Medicated, (soft, all wool) the regular $1.00 kind, 75c.

Men's extra heavy grey mottled and white shirts and drawers 23c.

Men's heavy Camel's hair shirts and drawers, 39c

Men's wool fleece grey knit shirts and drawers 75c a suit.

Extra heavy wool fleeced shirts and drawers former price, 85c, now 50c.

Children's Black hose, seamless fleeced, 10c pr.

Infant's all wool black cashmere, 9c pair.

Children's and Misses all wool black cashmere, 15c a pair.

Ladies' cotton hose, 5c, 6c, 8c, 9c, 10c, upwards.

Ladies' black fleece lined seamless 10c.

Extra quality black cashmere 15c.

Have large line of out-sizes in hosiery.

Elegant line of high grade hosiery.

Men's cotton socks, seamless, 4c.

Men's cotton knit socks 5c.

Nice line 5c and upwards.

All wool blue mixed knit, 2 for 25c, has no equal.

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All grades Camel's hair and Cashmere socks.

Children's and Misses' black worsted mitts, all sizes, 10c.

Extra heavy double worsted mitts 15c.

Ladies' wool mitts, 10c to 25c.

Ladies' double silk mitts, handsomely stitched 50c

Ladies' Cashmere gloves 15c, 20c, 25c.

Ladies' Taffeta silk, fleece lined gloves, 49c.

Ladies' extra quality cashmere, silk lined, 49c.

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Men's black cashmere gloves 20c.

Men's heavy knit mitts, wristlet top, not like them elsewhere less than 35c, for 25c.

Elegant fur gauntlet mitt or glove, horsehide palm, never sold less than $1.00, 50c.

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Extra heavy unlined calf glove 29c.

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8 cts. will buy 1 pr. Children's cashmere hose, sizes 5 to 8½.
8 cts. will buy 1 pr. Child's heavy fleeced hose, size 6 to 9½.
8 cts. will buy 1 pr. Child's heavy ribbed cotton hose.
8 cts. will buy 1 pr. Ladies' seamless cotton or fleeced hose.

This sale begins tonight and lasts all next week.

Watch for new Bargains Tuesday.

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TO SEIZE BOLIVIA.

Chile, Peru and Argentina to Form a Dreibund.

THAT IS THE STORY AS RELATED.

It Is Not Believed by Diplomats In Washington Who Are Familiar With South American Affairs—It Is Pointed Out That Argentina Could Not Possibly Gain Anything.

Washington, Nov. 13. — Diplomats here who are familiar with South American affairs place little credence in the report cabled from Valparaiso that Chile, Peru and Argentina are forming a dreibund for the purpose of seizing and dividing Bolivia.

One of the diplomats, who should know if any such scheme were in contemplation, pronounced baseless the idea of an alliance between Chile, Peru and Argentina for the division of the territory of Bolivia.

Argentina, it is pointed out, has absolutely nothing at stake in the pending difficulties between Peru, Bolivia and Chile over the boundary lines, and, so far as known here, there never has been a suggestion for the absorption of Bolivia by Chile and Peru.

The pending negotiations between these three latter countries for the definite location of their boundary lines grew out of the old war between Peru and Bolivia on the one hand and Chile on the other.

By the treaty of Ancon in 1883 the Peruvian provinces of Jacna and Arica, containing the rich nitrate beds, which Chile had obtained possession of, were to remain in the hands of Chile until 1894, when the question of permanent ownership as between Chile and Peru was to be decided by popular vote.

In case the provinces should give their vote to Peru the latter country was to compensate Chile for their loss with 100,000,000 soles. Owing to the revolution in Peru in 1894-95, it is explained, this stipulation of the Ancon treaty never was carried out; but, it is said, negotiations for a settlement are now in progress with the prospect of an entirely peaceful settlement.

An Outlet to the Sea.

No treaty of peace between Bolivia and Chile was made until 1895. A truce was arranged in 1883 which left Peru in possession of Bolivia's stretch of seacoast and two ports. Bolivia's great object was to secure again an outlet to the sea, and by the treaty of 1895 Chile agreed to give Bolivia a seaport.

Inasmuch as the stretch of territory taken from Bolivia, however, lies between the provinces of Tacna and Arica, taken from Peru, it was manifestly impossible for Chile to surrender an outlet through the old territory of Bolivia without completely segregating and dismembering her own territory.

It is this problem which has delayed the settlement of the whole question and raised issues which have produced more or less feeling in each of the countries.

The situation was further complicated by the contention of Bolivia that the Revolutionists in Chile, at the time of the overthrow of Balmaceda, promised to cede the former Peruvian provinces of Arica and Tacna in return for the recognition of the belligerents by the Bolivian government.

Any individual pledge which may have been made to this effect, it is stated, have been practically repudiated by the Chilean government. But it seems probable that the final outcome will be the cession to Bolivia of one of the ports at the northern extremity of the territory taken from Peru in order that Chile may preserve the integrity of her territory to the south.

At the Chilean legation a peaceful solution of the whole difficulty is anticipated. The journey of the Chilean minister to Bolivia, Senor S. Solinas, to Santiago, is explained on the probable theory that the government desired to confer with him in person relative to the negotiations he is conducting.

It is not believed here that it means the withdrawal of the minister and the severance of diplomatic relations with Bolivia.

THIRD SESSION.

All Members of Seal Conference Except Laurier Present.

Washington, Nov. 13. — The third session of the experts on seal life was held at the state department, all of the representatives of the United States, Canada and Great Britain being in attendance except Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who spent the morning visiting the Catholic university.

Mr. Adams, first secretary of the British embassy, took his place as the diplomatic representative of the Canadian government. The effort is maintained to keep the proceedings strictly secret at this stage.

Veterans Discriminated Against.

Washington, Nov. 13. — Complaints having been made to the navy department of alleged discrimination against veterans employed in the Mare Island navy yard, Secretary Long has directed Lieutenant J. J. Knapp to make a thorough investigation and report the facts to him.

Not Offered to Japan.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The Japanese legation makes official denial of reports that Nicaragua had tendered to Japan the franchise of the Nicaragua canal. It is stated officially that no negotiations of any kind have occurred between Nicaragua and Japan relative to the canal.

Statement Not Confirmed.

Washington, Nov. 13.—It is not possible to confirm here the statement coming from Berlin to the effect that the United States has offered to mediate between Germany and Haiti in the differences arising from the arrest of the German subject, Lueders. It is gathered, however, that while no such proffer has been made, overtures have been made to this government to invene, but without success.

Bids Passed Upon.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The bids for the construction of locks on the Ohio river have been passed upon by the chief of engineers and have been sent to Secretary Alger for his decision upon the points involved in the protests made against the reception of the lowest bid.

Tonnage Duties Suspended.

Washington, Nov. 13.—President McKinley has issued a proclamation exempting Mexican vessels in ballast from tonnage duties, Mexico treating American vessels in a like manner.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $203,136,387; gold reserve, $155,338,192.

HUNTING FOR WARSHIPS.

Spain Would Like to Have Them, but Lacks Money.

London, Nov. 13.—In connection with Spain's hunt for warships, American diplomats have learned that Spain recently endeavored to make arrangements with Japan whereby, in the event of war with the United States, the 30 or so warships now building in various shipyards for Japan would be transferred to Spain. It is supposed that upon the failure of these negotiations the Spanish government entered upon a deal with Chili for the transfer to the Spanish flag of several vessels about completed for the Chilian republic.

The diplomats referred to express the opinion from the standpoint of international law the completion of such a deal might be regarded as an unfriendly act toward the United States.

Besides the Rothschilds, other prominent financiers of London and Paris have entirely cut off the monetary supplies which Spain has hitherto succeeded in obtaining.

The Cubans Routed.

Havana, Nov. 13.—The Spanish cavalry came upon the camp of the insurgents under General Alejandro Rodriguez, on the Regalada farm, province of Havana, and in the engagement killed 20 insurgents, capturing a quantity of side-arms, together with the accouterments of General Rodriguez, a quantity of baggage and letters.

Approved by the Press.

Madrid, Nov. 13.—The press generally approves the decree pardoning exiles from Cuba and Porto Rico. All foreigners will be handed over to the consuls of their respective governments.

Articles of Agreement Adopted.

St. Louis, Nov. 13.—Articles of agreement of the Southwestern Passenger association have been completed and adopted by the conference of passenger officials who have been in session here for the past few days, and rules for the conduct of the business of the association have been made.

Late Hours.

A woman in society is obliged to keep late hours. She must attend receptions and balls. She seldom allows herself a quiet evening at home. Her whole time is taken up in keeping engagements or entertaining at her own home. How often does she dress for a grand, formal occasion with throbbing brow and trembling hands. And when she returns in the 'wee sma' hours" how often does she sink into her easy chair with a sigh of complete weariness. She is too nervous to sleep. Her cheeks are hot and feverish, yet she shivers with the cold. The cold, somber dawn is breaking; everything looks dismal and dreary around her presently she falls into a sleep of perfect exhaustion. It is a sleep full of unpleasant dreams, and when she wakes it is only to find herself more tired, if possible, than before. If every society woman knew the value of Pe-ru-na at such a time, if they could realize the invigorating, strengthening effect that Pe-ru-na would have, how much misery could be avoided. If the weary housewife, with her ceaseless round of duties; the overworked school girl, anxious to graduate with high honors; the haggard clerks, working early and late for the necessaries of life, knew of Pe-ru-na and its wonderful recuperating powers, they would never be without it. Some of its many cures are well-nigh marvelous.

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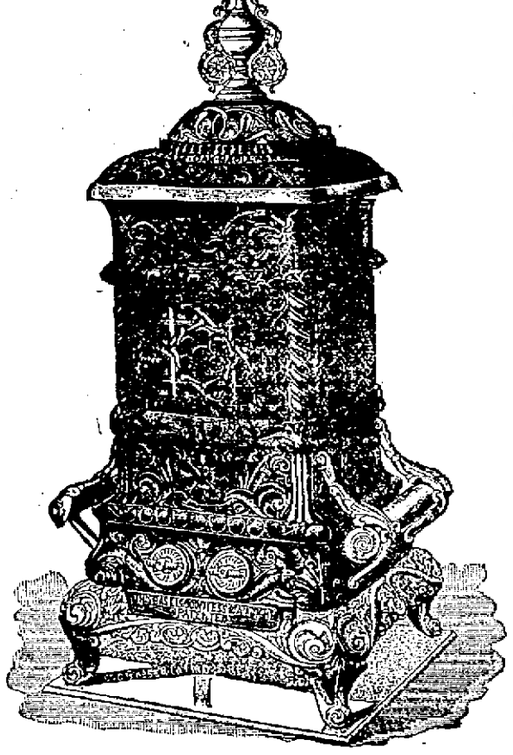

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GALATIA, ILLS., Nov. 16, 1893.
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Gentlemen:—We sold last year, 600 bottles of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC and have bought three gross already this year. In all our experience of 14 years, in the drug business, have never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your Tonic. Yours truly,
ADNEY, CARR & CO.

THEY LET HIM OUT

Knights of Labor Drop General Master Sovereign.

OTHER CHANGES ARE ALSO MADE.

In His Annual Address Mr. Sovereign Expresses His Contempt of "Government by Injunction" In Vigorous Language, but Scarcely Notices the Hazelton (Pa.) Shooting Affair of Recent Date.

Louisville, Nov. 13.—General Master Workman James R. Sovereign of the Knights of labor has been relieved of his office by the general assembly in session in this city.

Along with Mr. Sovereign there were three other officers retired because of their special election, namely, T. B. McGuire, general worthy foreman, of Amsterdam, N. Y., and Daniel Brown of Montana and H. B. Martin of Minnesota, members of the executive committee.

Henry A. Hicks of New York city was chosen to fill Mr. Sovereign's place, and I. D. Chamberlain of Pueblo, Colo., was selected as general worthy foreman. Sarsfield Fitzpatrick of Montreal and Harry Bostock of assembly No. 300, glass workers, were chosen as the two members of the executive board.

This very decided change in the corps of general officers of the Knights of Labor will cause considerable astonishment in labor circles throughout the country.

The afternoon session was principally taken up with the delivery of Mr. Sovereign's annual address, which was listened to by the delegates with the greatest interest and greeted with enthusiasm.

Sovereign's Annual Address.

Mr. Sovereign prefaced his address with the statement that the opening of this regular session of the general assembly presented to the world the "same undismayed membership through whose courage and fortitude the spirit of progress combats greed and averice, and defies the cant and hypocrisy of the age."

He then dwelt briefly on the triumph of the principles of the order, saying that it had survived the crimes of its traitors and prospered in spite of the contumely of its enemies. The order, he said, was today stronger in membership, stronger in character and stronger in the hearts of the people than it was a year ago.

He recommended that this session confine its deliberations largely to the work of organization, and to this end plans should be put in operation which will insure the service of the largest possible number of experienced and efficient organizers in isolated and unorganized fields.

The work of wholesale reform in the labor field, he contended, is retarded through the coercion and corruption of the poor by the holders of idle capital, who dominate the press and debauch the politics of the country, while the courts apply the arrogant lash of despotism in the form of injunctions against the freedom of speech and peaceable assemblage of the poor.

Of the St. Louis conference he said:

The St. Louis convention was a united protest against the most flagrant outrages ever committed again civil liberty in this country. It was the vox populi of an outraged nation thundering against the pomp and arrogance of returning despotism, and since that time free speech has not been suppressed by court injunctions.

The Great Miners' Strike.

Mr. Sovereign then took as his theme the great miners' strike, in which he said the Knights had a large membership directly involved. He said in part:

That great struggle was a test between underpaid, half starved labor and arrogant, greedy coal barons. It was a strike born of hunger and necessity and appealed to all the higher impulses of humanity. On the side of the strikers stood the charity and philanthropy of the world beckoning onward the slaves of the mines. On the other hand, the shotgun policy of the corporation and the despicable court injunctions.

The armed thugs were more tolerable than the restraining orders of the courts. The injunctions sought to give the air of official sanction and the color of judicial dignity to the vilest expressions of anarchy ever uttered in this country.

But anarchy in judicial robe is no more respectable than anarchy in rags. A judge who will suppress peaceable public assemblages is no less a traitor to this country than was Benedict Arnold, and the citizen who will resist such an injunction is no less a patriot than were the signers of the Declaration of Independance or the heroes of Valley Forge.

And if it ever comes to a contest between constitutional liberty and court by injunctions, I would prefer to wrap myself in the flag of my country and tear down the courts in defense of the constitution rather than to dishonor the flag and tear down the constitution in defense of the courts.

While this great strike was supported by all recognized labor organizations and was the greatest struggle of the kind ever known in America, to the credit of labor it can be said there was no lawlessness or crime committed by the strikers.

Mr. Sovereign's reference to the Hazelton affair was brevity itself. He simply said that it was "a cold-blooded murder of inoffensive Hungarian miners by the sheriff of Hazelton," whom he characterized as an agent of employing corporations.

Mr. Sovereign concluded by saying that the most gratifying results of the national labor conferences held during the past year was demonstrated in the ability of the organized labor forces to rise above selfishness and jealousy and unite for the common good of all.

Will Abrogate the Treaty.

Monongahela, Pa., Nov. 13.—A meeting of Third pool river miners convened here to consider the rate established by arbitration with William Hughes, president. A resolution was adopted ignoring the $2.15 rate, and to stand out for the price agreed to at Columbus—$2.47 per 100 bushels for mining.

Steel Tube Combination.

Toledo, Nov. 13.—A strong combination of steel tubing manufacturers has been perfected, and the new corporations will absolutely represent 90 per cent of the tubing output of the United States. The consolidation is called the Shelby Tube company, and is capitalized at $5,000,000 under the provision for iron and steel plants in the Pennsylvania statutes. W. H. Miller of Shelby will be the president and general manager, and the main offices will be at the Shelby plant.

The Police Interfered.

Dayton, O., Nov. 13.—As a wind-up of the fistic carnival given in the opera house, Kid McCoy took on George LaBlanche, the "Marine," and Beach Ruble of Hamilton. LaBlanche lasted only 20 seconds. Ruble was knocked down five times in two minutes, when the police interfered. McCoy offered $50 to the man that stood before him for five rounds.

Forged Notes Discovered.

Bellefontaine, O., Nov. 13.—It has been discovered that George N. Harrod, the Bloomfield township man who is mysteriously missing, forged the name of his father and several prominent farmers to notes amounting to about $600 before he left. This probably explains his sudden departure.

Killed With a Gun Barrel.

Kenton, O., Nov. 13.—Harry Bates murdered Harry Meredith by striking him over the head with a gun-barrel. The men had trouble about Miss Rennick, who was employed in the Meredith household.

Gets a New Job.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—Hon. John K. Pollard, steward of the Ohio Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb, has been appointed consul general of the United States at Monterey, Mexico.

Butterworth Will Recover.

Cleveland, Nov. 13.—The condition of Patent Commissioner Butterworth contines to improve. Although he will not be out of danger for several days, yet his physicians believe that he will recover.

A Trespasser Shot.

Five Mile, O., Nov. 13.—Harold Fridman was hunting on Norris Carter's farm and was ordered off. He refused to go, whereupon Carter shot him, inflicting a serious wound.

Tramps Put to Work.

Bellefontaine, O., Nov. 13.—A gang of tramps offered their services to the contractors of the Columbus Northwestern railroad and were promptly put to work.

Explosion of Gasoline.

Fostoria, O., Nov. 13.—The explosion of a barrel of gasoline in the basement of the Alcott Hardware company's store caused a fire which did $50,600 damage.

Died of Hydrophobia.

Kinsman, O., Nov. 13.—Charles Gillis, 13, who was bitten by a dog last June, has just died of hydrophobia, the first symptoms appearing last Monday.

Coxey Spent Too Much.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13. — General Coxey's campaign cost him $996.15, while under the Garfield law he should have kept his expenses under $650.

Libel Suit Filed.

Millersburg, O., Nov. 13.—R. W. Taneyhill, probate judge, has sued The Sentinel Publishing company for $5,000 damages for alleged libel.

Farmer Killed by a Train.

Perrysburg, O., Nov. 13.—John Wygant, 50, prominent farmer, was decapitated by a Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton train.

Chittenden Sells Out.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—Mr. Henry T. Chittenden has disposed of his interest in the operating company of the Chittenden hotel.

Blood Poisoning Killed Him.

Yellow Bud, O., Nov. 13.—John Collett broke his ankle while attempting to mount a horse, blood poisoning set in and he died.

Large Attendance.

Dayton, O., Nov. 13.—The Central Ohio Teachers' association is in convention here with a large attendance.

Gang of Criminals.

Rome, Nov. 13.—The existence of a powerful gang of criminals, murderers and thieves has been revealed by the discovery of three corpses in a well at Arevella. It is believed that the gang numbers 100, and over 40 crimes are attributed to its members.

Collieries Shut Down.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—In their efforts to bolster up the hard-coal trade the anthracite presidents have called a halt on the rate of production, and every colliery in the Schuylkill district has shut down.

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BOSTON'S GREAT PREACHER.

The Rev. J. B. Brady, D D., Advises His Many Parishioners to Take Paine's Celery Compound.

The Rev. James Boyd Brady, pastor of the People's Temple, in Boston, presides over the destinies of the largest Methodist church in the country.

Big, candid, Scotch-Irisman that he is, Dr. Brady has built up the Temple financially and numerically, and today he is the pastor of a flock of 1,700.

Dr. Brady devotes himself with unflagging courage to anything he undertakes. The chief characteristic of his ministry has been progress in number, financial condition and moral and spiritual growth. He is a man of plain, but vigorous words. So much has been said and written about Dr. Brady—his work, his progressive methods, his eloquence and his power as a minister, that the following letter from him will be convincing and helpful to many persons besides the large number who are every Sunday influenced for good by his powerful preaching. He writes:

Boston, Sept. 27, 1897.

Paine's celery compound, if widely and wisley used, would relieve nervousness, soothe restlessness, reduces sickness, strengthen the body, invigorates the mind, and add years of happiness to life.

JAMES BOYD BRAY,
Pastor People's Temple.

The man or woman who does not take time to get well will sooner or later have to take time to be ill.

Many live under the needless infliction of indigestion, nervousness, constipation and general weakness, and endure the consequent loss of health without considering how easily the cause of all this illness might be remedied.

Needful nerve and tissue nourishment is at the bottom of all permanent building up of the health.

Paine's celery compound looks out for the insidious weakening of the nervous system through maultrition. It gives a healthy tone to the stomach, increases the blood supply, quiets and equalizes the irritated nerve action and promptly feeds the tissues when the bodily vigor is at its lowest ebb, and should not be further taxed.

The only cure, therefore, for rheumatism, neuralgia or general debility that is lasting in its good effects must rest on a radical cleansing of the blood and a building up of the nervous tissues. All this is best done by Paine's celery compound, because this remarkable remedy begins at the beginnnig, wherever there is disease, and establishes the health firmly and beyond any fear of falling back.

The worn-out person who cannot sleep should take Paine's celery compound. It is folly to imagine that every hour taken from sleep is an hour gained. Nothing undermines health and energy like loss of sleep. The nervous system suffers as much from lack of sleep as from lack of nourishment. Both may be supplied and a healthy condition insured by using Paine's celery compound.

The stay and staff of sound health is well nourished and well regulated nerves. Sufferers from sleeplessness, nervous dyspepsia or headache may be sure that every reservoir of nerve force has been tapped and exhausted by work, worry, too little sleep, or faulty nourishment, because of poor digestion and assimilation. As soon as such signs of nervous exhaustion are noticed, shakey hands, broken sleep, poor appetite, wasting diseases, neuralgia or dyspepsia, take advantage of the remarkable restorative and regulating action of Paine's celery compound.

Nervous disorders increase in a sort of compound ratio. It is a thousand times easier to put a stop to nervous deiblity in its earlier stages than later on to correct nerve and brain exhaustion, that may be complicated by heart, kidney or some other organic trouble.

Paine's celery compound must not be confonded with any of the plausible sounding, but really temporary makeshifts, whose cures are never permanent nor thorough-going, and only bring deferred hopes that make the heart sick. Paine's celery compound is the greatest nerve and brain invigorator and most reliable blood purifier the world has ever been blessed with.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Every Mother Wants.

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The Great Cough Cure.
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1 lb new buckwheat	4c
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1 10c box toilet soap	5c
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All package coffee	10c
1 lb new barley	5c
1 qt. navy beans	5c
1 gal. best sorghum	30c
2 lb best California apricots	25c
2 lb best California prunes	25c
2 lb best California peaches	25c
3 lb good California prunes	25c
2 large mackerel	5c
1 lb codfish	5c
1 lb wise cakes	10c
1 lb lunch milk crackers	8c
1 lb butter crackers	5c
1 lb oyster crackers	5c

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TIME IS UP.

Candidates Who Did Not File Expense Accounts In for It Now.

Democratic Executive Committee Makes Out a Clear, Concise Report of Receipts and Expenditures—Frank Mooney Says He Spent Nothing, Promised Nothing—L. Jones Paid $5 for His Job.

Friday was the last day for candidates to file their campaign expense accounts. A number of them failed to comply with the law and filed no accounts. It is the duty of the board of elections to see that accounts are properly filed. The last two reports were made by Lafayette Jones, elected surveyor on the Republican ticket without opposition, and Frank Mooney defeated candidate for recorder. Jones certifies to spending $5 00, which was given to Chas. E. Hard as his committee assessment. Mooney says he "spent nothing and promised nothing."

The Democratic county executive committee was the first in with the report of expenses, which is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

J. W. Newman	$ 50 00
M. Stanton	50 00
W. A. Connolley	40 00
Democratic State Committee	400 00
H. Leet	57 00
Ph. Pelley	10 00
Total	$607 00

EXPENDITURES.

Biggs House, hotel	$ 14 05
Whitman polling Fifth ward	7 00
C. S. Bright, polling Third ward	5 00
Geo. Wymer, polling First ward	5 00
T. M. Lynn, livery	6 00
F. B. Finney, Kendall ball	29 50
Bowman, polling Sixth ward	3 00
Boil, polling Sixth ward	3 00
T. M. Lynn, livery	3 50
F. M. Moore, polling Fourth ward	4 00
Geo. Kah, band	15 00
Rob Lodwick, posting bills	3 20
Stamps and Stationery	10 00
Thompson and Stahler, trip Columbus	20 00
Thompson and Stahler trip Columbus	18 00
Stahler, trip Columbus	11 00
D. Egbert, getting out vote Valley township	10 00
J. W. O'Brien, getting out vote Union township	6 00
Cady, getting out vote Union township	5 00
J. J. Forsythe, getting out vote Brush creek	10 00
Bradshaw, getting out vote Morgan	10 00
Throckmorton, getting out vote Morgan	5 00
J. H. Wyatt, band	10 00
Tom Crow, getting vote out Rush	5 00
Shively, getting vote out Rush	5 00
Frank Crow, getting vote out Rush	5 00
Alex Cole, getting vote out Nile	20 00
Jos. Shaw, getting vote out Nile	15 00
Chas. Yeager, getting vote out Nile	15 00
J. P. Adis, getting vote out Harrison	10 00
Sundry Persons, tickets to Waverly	20 00
F. Gasie, getting out vote Washington	5 00
Mershon, getting out vote Washington	5 00
Boyer, getting out vote Bloom	10 00
Coburn, getting out vote Clay	10 00
Coburn, getting out vote Clay	5 00
Maddock, getting out vote Seventh ward	18 00
Hummell, getting out vote Sixth ward	25 00
Cropper, getting out vote Sixth ward	15 00
Funk, getting out vote Fourth ward	25 00
Patterson, getting out vote Third ward	15 00
Leet, getting out vote Second ward	10 00
Brent, getting out vote Fifth ward	15 00
Stahler, getting out vote Fifth ward	15 00
Weymer, getting out vote First ward	15 00
Reider, getting out vote First ward	15 00
T. M. Lynn, livery	2 00
Stamps	36 40
C. A. Cole, getting out vote Porter	10 00
F. Cranston, getting out vote Porter	5 00
F. Collett, getting out vote Vernon	5 00
Sundry persons, errands	3 00
Sundry persons, distributing bills	4 00
Miss White, stenographer	14 00
Tribune, advertising	2 00
Total	$607 00

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Carpenter William Jones Badly Cut About the Neck by a Falling Hatchet.

Wm. Jones, a carpenter working on the new dwelling houses being erected on Front street, near Chillicothe, by Alex. Glockner, had a narrow escape from death this morning.

Jones and one of his fellow workmen were working on a scaffold, when a hatchet lying on a board about six feet above them was jarred off and fell, the edge of the hatchet striking Mr. Jones on the back of his neck. It cut a big gash, which bled profusely. Mr. Jones was assisted to the office of Dr Lottridge and the wound dressed. He was then taken to his home in South Portsmouth.

Jones' escape from death was narrow indeed. The hatchet just touched the spinal cord, cutting it slightly. It would have required but little more force to have severed the cord completely, and in that event Jones would never have known what hit him.

A Runaway Girl.

A fourteen-year old girl, giving the name of Grace Hill, called at the station house last night and asked for lodging. She said her home was in Lewis county, Ky. A few weeks ago her parents died and she went to live with a family on a shanty boat. There she was mistreated and Friday she determined to run away. She left the shanty boat about two miles below the city and walked up. She hopes to find employement of some sort about town.

Get your sole leather at H. D. Oberling's, the cheapest place in town for leather.

OBITUARY.

ANDREWS.

A two-year-old son of James Andrews of, Quincy, Kentucky, died this morning of membraneous croup. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

We have on hand a handsome line of caps, hats, men's furnishing goods, satchels and trunks. L. WISE'S SONS, 117 West Second street.

Are you suffering from rheumatism? Thomas' Eclectric Oil has cured thousands of the worst cases of this terrible disease. It only costs 25 cents to try it.

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We furnish both.

Cleveland's baking powder can be bought at your grocer's, and our cook book is mailed free on receipt by us of stamp and address.

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Cloudy tonight; occasional showers Sunday; warmer.

COURT HOUSE.

A Tribune Creditor Who Has Reason to Congratulate Himself—Terrell vs Holcomb & Skelton Damage Suit.

Sam Beatty files another answer and cross-petition in the Tribune tangle. In it he makes the startling statement that he had been paid in full for his claim of $1,098 against the Tribune. It is needless to say the Tribune company did not pay it. The endorsers, Messrs. M. Stanton, A. J. Finney and Joshua Oakes, took it up.

Emma E. Lewis vs. Thos Swearingen is a transcript from 'Squire Piatt's court. The charge is bastardy.

The Terrell vs. Holcomb and Skelton $700 suit was decided in favor of defendants and Mrs. Terrell gets nothing.

Several motions were heard this morning and court adjourned until Monday morning.

Mary Larcamp, of Harrison township, has been adjudged insane and will be committed to the Athens asylum.

The Ph. Kelley property, on Market street, was offered at sheriff's sale today, but did not sell for want of bidders. The appraisement was $12,000 for first tract and $3,800 for second tract.

The Carl Lehman residence property on Tenth street, appraised at $1,200, was sold to Thos. Brand for $1,100.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John Clinger and wife to Mathew Orions, 67 acres, $1,600.

M. M. Crawford to Lucy Evans, $900.

J. C. Cadot to trustees of Free Will Baptist church, ¼ acre, $35.

Jessie Dingler to D. H. Dodge, $700.

Lucy Evans to Addie Euth, $1,000.

J. D. Euth to Lucy Evans, $2,200.

Edw. Messmer to Chas. Schuler, $450.

Oascinda McConnell to Harriet N. Towne, 15 acres, $200.

J. S. Rickeyto G. M. Warder, $626.

Margaret Wiehle to J. S. Dodge, $1,450.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Chas. Nease, 33, and Elnore Welty, 31, Friendship.

Klondike Not in It.

The way gold will be floating around this town, free, in the near future, will put a stop to the exodus to Klondike. The popular and progressive firm of Heer Bros., clothiers and gents' furnishers on Chillicothe street are out with an announcement today giving the particulars of their $200 gold prize that will be given to their patrons, on Christmas morniug. The modus operand is fully set forth in their announcement. Suffice it to say, that everyone who makes a purchase at Heer Bros, from now on gets a chance at the seductive gold. It is needless to say that they are in the front ranks of those in their line of business, and their goods and their word is as good as the gold they offer.

Take a look at our immense assortment of men's, boys' and children's clothing, all selling at the lowest prices of any house in the city, at L. Wise's Sons, 117 West Second street.

Among the Quail Hunters.

Alex. Glockner and Al. Rudity returned Friday from their Mt. Joy quail hunt. In two days and a half they killed 119 birds.

Howard Harsha takes first honors as champion quail shot this season. He was out Friday and killed thirteen birds with fifteen shots. Out of one covey he got three birds out of four shots. He used one of the new pump Winchesters.

When BLANKEMEYER, THE TAILOR, makes your clothes it is a guarantee that you will have good goods, good work and a perfect fit.

Will Be Married Tuesday.

A very quiet wedding will be that of Otis Gammon and Miss Louella Lawson at the home of the birde's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lawson, of the East End, next Tuesday evening. The young couple will make their home at Ashland, where Mr. Gammon is located in the confectionery business. Only a few intimate friends and relatives will be present.

Dr. Geo. M. Marshall will be at Dr. Ray's office, 41 East Eighth street, Tuesday, Nov. 16th. Consultation—eye, ear, nose and throat. 13-2t

IT'S HOT WEATHER

In October that did this. Some one's loss, your gain. The Wholesale Cloak Trade opened up with a great rush; merchants were excited, manufacturers were rushed; they forgot that there is a limit to everything. Finally the crash came. October was hot. Countermands of orders were almost as numerous as orders in the beginning of the season, and this is the whole truth in a nutshell. We were on the lookout and fortunately for you, as well as ourselves, we have secured the greatest bargains that ever came to Portsmouth, and we want to share our profits with you. Will you come and see what every express train entering this city from the East brings. We claim these goods are the best for the money that were ever seen here, and remember this is right in the heart of the season. Don't wait for reductions, as they never will reach this low point. One more thing we want to call your attention to; these goods can't be picked up at these prices most any time, and we predict that they will move like hot cakes, and it would be wise to give Cloaks your attention. Now above everything also note the Prices and description, and come and see them.

40 Plush Capes, 21 inches long, handsomely embroidered and jetted Thibet trimmed around collar and down in front, wholesale price, $5.50, our price while they last..... **$4.50**

29 Handsomely Braided and Jetted Plush Capes, 23 inches long, 125 inches wide, fancy silk lined collar and front trimmed in Thibet Fur, wholesale price is $6.00, our price while they last..... **$5.00**

33 Boucle Cloth Capes, well lined, 20 inches long, collar and down front trimmed in Thibet Fur, the wholesale price was $2.40, our price while they last..... **$2.19**

48 Boucle Capes, lined with black serge, 24 inches long, 13ft inches sweep, trimmed in Thibet Fur around collar and down front wholesale price $4.25, our price while they last..... **$3.75**

29 Boucle Capes, all fancy silk lined, 24 inches long by 125 inches wide, Thibet trimmed collar and down front, wholesale price $5.00, our price while they last only..... **$4.29**

75 Jackets made of the latest style Caterpillar Cloth, wholesale price $5.75, our price they last..... **$5.00**

18 Capes of heavy Astrakan Cloth, 27 inches long by 150 inches sweep, Empire back, lined with a serviceable black serge lining, Thibet around collar and down in front, the wholesale price $7.75, our price while they last only..... **$5.50**

50 Beaver Cloth Double Capes, 30 inches long, top cape and collar trimmed in fur and braid, wholesale price $3.75, our price while they last only..... **$2.98**

25 Beaver Cloth Capes, 25 inches long, braided and jetted, top cape and collar trimmed in fur and braid, wholesale price $4.00, our price while they last only..... **$2.98**

100 Rough Cloth Ladies' Jackets, no old goods, but latest make, stylish and serviceable, half silk lined, wholesale price $5.00, our price while they last..... **$4.48**

48 All Wool Kersey cloth and Astrakan Cloth Jackets, some are all lined with good satin and silk, and some half lined, the cheapest in the lot sold wholesale at $7.75, our price while they last choice..... **$7.50**

Bring this ad. with you and you will find everything just as advertised. Nothing exaggerated or misrepresented. Yours for bargains.

Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co.,

75 West Second Street.

"Good Night"

She Said, "I'm Going to Bed."

It might sound a little more aristocratic to say, "Au revoir, I shall now retire," but for comfort she would have to be arrayed in the same night robe.

36 Dozen Ladies'

Outing Flannel Night Robes

Is what we have to offer you at greatly reduced prices. They are made up in full sleeves, Empire back, Empire front. This means

The Latest Styles.

They come in colors, cream, delicate pink, light blue, canary, and also in Roman stripes, blending all colors.

All Sizes for 50 cents

Friday and Saturday Only.

Every lady in Portsmouth can reach this price without difficulty and enjoy warmth and comfort during the cold winter nights.

Ladies' Bazaar,

E. and R. McCauley,

407 Chillicothe St.

Cheap, Cheaper, Cheapest.

We reach the superlative degree when it comes to fine millinery.

An Elegant New Stock.

That we have determined to sell at the lowest possible figures. Everything is strictly up-to-date.

Trimmed and Untrimmed

Hats and Bonnets, Tips, Feathers, Ribbons and everything that is used to embellish the head or head-gear.

Mrs. Shevlin,

107 West Second St.

WINTER IS COMING.

If you want that light suit cleaned and and dyed so that it will look like new take it to

Portsmouth Steam Dye House

H. HUELS. 71-73 West Third St.

CLOAKS AND CAPES.

Beware of mythical stories and extravagant claims as to values. Do not buy without first posting yourself by a look through our stock. As a matter of fact, there has been no examination of stock with the manufacturers—they have had all they could do up to the present time to fill the orders from an exceptionally large business. A look through our stock will convince you that we have a very large stock and that OUR PRICES are right.

Plush Capes with Braid, Jet and Fur trimming, $2.39, and up.

Cloth Capes with Braid trimming, 69c and up.

Ladies' Beaver Jackets, $4 00 and up.

Children's Heavy Jackets, $2.00 and up.

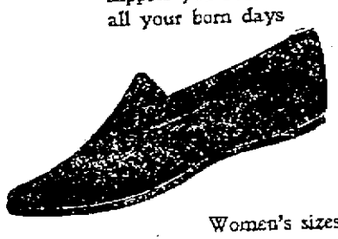
Remember the story in the old reading book of the boy who cried "Wolf." We assure you there is no wolf in Cloak circles at the present time. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Do not be deceived.

G. W. Anderson & Sons,

Corner Second and Court Streets.

Fifty Cents a pair

biggest 50 cents' worth of warm, soft house-slippers you ever saw in all your born days



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